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BY HAND AND BY E-MAIL

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
1 South Station
Boston, MA 02110

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

I enclose the original and five copies of a Petition of Western Massachusetts Industrial Customers Group for Leave to Intervene as a Full Participant in DTE 04-40, concerning the reconciliation filing of Western Massachusetts Electric Company on March 31, 2004. A Certificate of Service is also enclosed.

Very truly yours,



Andrew J. Newman

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Enclosures

cc: (with enclosure)
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